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This is in response to the Office Action dated August 29, 2006 the term for which having been extended three months by the enclosed petition and fee to expire February 28, 2007.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

Petition for Extension of Time for three months is attached.

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